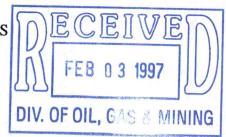
## STATE OF UTAH DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF MINING OPERATIONS

The informational requirements of this form are based on provisions of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8, Utah Code Annotated 1953, as amended, and the General Rules as promulgated under the Utah Minerals Regulatory Program. An operator conducting mining operations under a Notice of Intention must file an annual operations and progress report (FORM MR-AR) with the Division.

I.	Gener	al Information
	1.	Report Time Period: From (mo./yr.) <u>1-01-96</u> To (mo./yr.) <u>12-31-96</u>
	2.	DOGM File Number (Mine No): M .047 /013
	3.	Mine Name: Ziegler Chemical & Mineral Corp. Mines
	4.	Mineral(s) Mined (or permitted to mine): Gilsonite
	5.	Type of mine ☐ Surface Mine or ☒ Underground Mine
	6.	Legal Description (Location of Lands Affected):
		S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Y/A, NE 1/4, Section 16 , Township 9S , Range 24E
		SE 1/4,1/4, Section 16 , Township 95 , Range 24E
		1/4,1/4, Section, Township, Range
	7.	Name of Operator or Company: Ziegler Chemical & Mineral Corp.
	8.	Permanent Street Address: 100 Jericho Quad, Suite 140
		City, State, Zip: Jericho, NY 11753
		Phone: 516-681-9600
	9.	Company Representative (or designated operator):
		Name:Norman Haslem
		Title: Mine Superintendent
		Business Address: Ziegler Chemical, Star Route
_		City, State, Zip: Vernal, UT 84078
		Phone: 801-789-3593
		☐ Please check if any of the above information has changed since previous year.
II.	Minin	g and Reclamation
11.	1/10/00/0	and recommend
	1.	Was the mine active during the past year? Yes $XX$ No $\Box$
	2.	If active, how much ore or mineral was mined? _23.800

. 3	How much additional acreage was disturbed during the past year? None
4.	Briefly describe any new or additional surface disturbances that occurred during the past year. This description should include the type of work performed, and volume of material moved.
	No additional disturbance in 1996.
5.	How much acreage was reclaimed during the past year? None
6.	Briefly describe the reclamation work performed during the past year. This description should include methods employed, and an evaluation of the results.  No reclamation in 1996.
7.	What is the total disturbed acreage at years end? 11 acres
8.	Briefly summarize any mining and/or reclamation plans for the upcoming year.  We will establish two mines on the Independent Vein and will
	reclaim the Little Emma Middle #1 mines.
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NOTE:	Section III., "Additional Information" applies only to <u>large mining operations</u> .
III. Additiona	<u>l Information</u>
1.	An updated surface facilities map should be attached if there have been significant changes since the previous map was submitted.
2.	Any monitoring results or other reports that are required under the terms of the approved notice of intention should also be attached.
IV. <u>Signature</u>	Requirement
I here	by certify that the foregoing is true and correct.
2 11010	Name (Typed or Print):  Gordon S Ziegler, Jr.
	Title of Operator:  President
	Signature of Operator:
	Date: 1/3/7/56
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